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Letter dated 22 June 2016 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to Security Council resolution 2290 (2016), adopted on 31 May 2016, in which the Council decided to extend until 1 July 2017 the mandate of the Panel of Experts as set out in paragraph 18 of resolution 2206 (2015).

Accordingly, I wish to inform you that, after consulting with the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2206 (2015) concerning South Sudan, I have appointed the following experts:

- Mr. Andrews Atta-Asamoah, regional issues (Ghana)
- Mr. Payton Knopf, armed groups (United States of America)
- Mr. Andrei Kolmakov, natural resources/finance (Russian Federation)
- Ms. Anna Oosterlinck, humanitarian affairs (Belgium)
- Mr. Klem Ryan, arms (New Zealand).

I have designated Mr. Knopf to serve as Coordinator of the Panel of Experts.

I should be grateful if you would bring this information to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) BAN Ki-moon

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